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Society

From Seashore and Mountain

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Gossip at the fashionable colonies that fringe the northeastern coast and penetrate into the northern woods is classified under two heads: What society wears and what society does. The first being an incidental but by no means negligible factor, the season has been launched with full brilliancy, sartorially and socially, at the various resorts. Town life lost its attraction some weeks ago, despite the seasonable weather, and town gayeties were leisurely transferred to summer colonies which will bloom for awhile with the social favorites of the big cities.

The fashionable folk of the Capital are widely scattered in the summer shuffle, but from seashore and mountain comes gossip of their activities, particularly of their entertainments, which are no less charming than their winter functions, for all the informality imposed by warm weather etiquette. The hostess who really enjoys a restful vacation is a rare discovery, though not so rare as the summer party which can claim success without effort and ingenuity. The Russian Ambassador and Mme. Bakhmeteff are an interesting center of social life at Newport. Since their arrival at the summer embassy, Stone villa has been the scene of a number of informal dinners, and the Ambassador and Mme. Bakhmeteff have dined frequently with their guests at the Hill Top Inn, which seems unprecedentedly popular this season among the Washington contingent of the colony.

At Lenox, the Austrian Ambassador and Mme. Dumba are contributing to the summer life on a generous scale. Several large dinners are numbered among the entertainments which they have given as well as the luncheon at which Mme. Dumba was hostess on Friday. Prince von Hatzfeldt Trachenberg and Capt. Franz von Papen, of the German Embassy, spent the Fourth of July holidays at the Poplars, the handsome villa which houses the Austrian embassy for the summer. The Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano are providing many interesting events for the social chronicler at Newport, where the latter's charm and graciousness have made her a center round which much of the summer life revolves. The Swedish Minister and Mme. Ekenberg and the Danish Minister, Mr. Brun, have been seen at the cabaret teas at the Swimming Club in Bar Harbor, but they are taking a somewhat quiet part in the summer activities as yet, and, like many of the other diplomats, are resting after a strenuous winter of duty and pleasure at the Capital.

The navy set is enjoying itself to a great degree at Newport, where many distinguished naval officers and

their wives are located for the summer. Monday evening was the occasion of the ball of the enlisted men at the naval training station. Among these entertaining guests in their boxes were Admiral and Mrs. F. F. Fletcher, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Bradley A. Fiske, Mrs. William F. Draper, and Miss Margaret Draper, Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Frank Taylor Evans, and Mrs. Robley D. Evans. Next Friday Rear Admiral and Mrs. French E. Chadwick will entertain at a lawn reception at Oakwood Terrace, their summer home at Newport, in honor of Rear Admiral and Mrs. F. F. Fletcher. A thousand invitations have been issued for the occasion, which will be one of the brilliant functions of the season. Mrs. Montgomery M. Macomb, wife of Brig. Gen. Macomb, will be among those assisting in receiving. Mrs. Macomb has arrived in Newport and is visiting her parents, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Stephen B. Luce.

White Sulphur, Hot Springs, Beverly Farms, Atlantic City, and Narragansett have their share of Washington's smart set. Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. McAdoo and Capt. and Mrs. Emerson spent a short time at the

MRS. DELOS BLODGETT, who will soon close her house on Sixteenth street previous to her departure for the West.



last-named colony during the week. They arrived on the Emerson's yacht, the Margaret, and had tea at the Casino before continuing their trip to New York.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Lansing were the guests of honor at an informal supper party which Miss Louise Lacey gave Friday evening at the Chevy Chase Club. Capt. and Mrs. F. K. Hill, U. S. N., Mr. Walter Wilcox and Mr. W. W. Smith were among the other guests.

Mrs. Sherman McCallum entertained in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing last Tuesday evening and on Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter were their hosts at a dinner at the Pal-

lades, the Leiter country place on the Potomac.

Mme. Bakhmeteff was among the interested spectators at the Newport Casino last week when several interesting matches of tennis were played. Among those on the courts were Mrs. George Peabody Eustis, of this city, and the Countess Glyzcka, daughter of Mrs. R. B. Patterson, of Dupont Circle.

Mrs. MacArthur, wife of Lieut. Commander Arthur MacArthur, of the U. S. S. Nebraska, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Reginald R. Belknap, at Newport.

Mrs. Preston Gibson gives a dinner party tonight for Mrs. Oelrichs at Newport.

Dr. and Mrs. Constantine T. Dumba entertained Friday afternoon at the Austrian Embassy, in honor of the German Ambassador, arrived at Lenox yesterday and will be the week-end guest of the Austrian Ambassador.

Mr. Truxton Beale, of this city, entertained at luncheon Friday at Narragansett Pier, R. I. Among his guests were Mr. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, former charge d'affaires at Mexico City for the United States, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bonaparte, of this city.

Mr. Constantin Brun, the Danish Minister, and the Viscount de Ailla, the Minister from Portugal, have been active in Bar Harbor society for the past week.

Gen. John A. Johnston, Mrs. Johnston, and Mrs. George T. Summerlin, of this city, are at the Vanderbilt Hotel, New York, for a few days, prior to going to Newport, where they will be at the Hill Top Inn for a short time before opening their summer home.

Mr. A. J. de Ipanema Moiera, of the Brazilian Embassy, is spending the summer at Spring Lake, New Jersey.

Mr. S. Constantinidi, first secretary of the Greek Legation, is at Atlantic City, where he is staying at the Hotel Traymore.

Folk We Hear About

Mr. William Travers Jerome, Jr., who is touring, is stopping at Lenox.

Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt is back at "Shadowbrook," her Lenox home, from a trip through the Berkshires.

Mrs. Isaac Clothier, Jr., of Philadelphia, is one of the most enthusiastic golf players at Narragansett Pier, R. I., this summer.

Mr. William C. Strawbridge, of Philadelphia, is taking a cottage at Narragansett Pier for the summer.

Mrs. Daniel Chester French is one of the leading hostesses at Lenox, Mass., occupying Mr. French's studio-villa "Chester Wood."

Mrs. George Ade is the guest of Mrs. M. Dwight Collier at Lenox, Mass.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw is at Pittsfield, Mass., the guest of Miss Gertrude Wages, who has issued invitations to a garden party for tomorrow afternoon in honor of Dr. Shaw.

Miss Marguerite Shonts has arrived at Newport, where she will be joined shortly by her mother, Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts; her sister, Duchess de Chaulnes, and the little duke.

Recent Weddings

An interesting wedding took place Wednesday at Bishopscote, Del., when Miss Helen Roberts Wood, daughter of Mrs. Susanne Edwards Wood, of Claymont, Del., formerly of this city, became the bride of Mr. Malcolm Alexander Holliday.

The ceremony was performed at the Chapel of the Good Shepherd at 4 o'clock by Right Rev. Frederick J. Krumm, Bishop of Delaware, assisted by Rev. Frederick M. Kirtus.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Rev. Robert Wood, of St. Mary's, Tussock Park, N. Y., wore a gown of

white satin and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Miss Nancy Trout was bridesmaid and she wore white and carried white roses.

Mr. William Holliday, of Philadelphia, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Holliday left later for their wedding trip. They will make their future home at Seccasunna, Morris County, N. J.

A number of guests were present from Washington, New York and Baltimore.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, at the Immaculate Conception Church, when Miss Mary L. Burke, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burke, became the bride of Mr. Joseph C. Stoner. The ceremony was performed by the assistant pastor, Rev. George J. Bryant. The bride was attended by the bridegroom's sister, Miss Margaret L. Stoner. Later the couple left for Atlantic City.

Now in Town

Mrs. W. M. Geddes, of Columbia road, has returned from Johnstown, Pa., where she visited her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Arthur, who entertained extensively in Mrs. Geddes' honor.

Miss Katharine McNeal is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McNeal, at the Parkwood, where she will remain for the summer, after a vacation spent at Atlantic City. She has just completed a successful season in New York, where she has been studying and teaching music.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Kaufman have returned to their home, in MacComb street, from a short trip to New York, where they went to assist the sailing of their niece, Mrs. A. Tritch, for England.

Miss Gladys Mayer returned on Friday to her home in town from a fortnight's visit with relatives in Baltimore.

Miss Dorothy Oettinger, of Thirteenth street northwest, will leave in a few days for Wilson, N. C., to spend the remainder of the summer, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. A. Koenigsberger, of Belmont street, returns next week to the city after a most delightful visit throughout Connecticut and New York.

The Misses Caroline and Cecelia Oppenheimer and Mr. Sylvan Oppenheimer motored Thursday last to Atlantic City, where they will remain for ten days before returning to their home in town.

Senator and Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr., are spending a few days at the Shoreham.

Mrs. Boyd Taylor entertained informally at bridge yesterday afternoon at the Dumbarton Club.

Mr. Upshur Moorehead was host at a dinner last evening at the Chevy Chase Club.

Mr. Arthur Lee is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. Lee Phillips for a few days.

Mrs. Nash, wife of Medic Director Francis Nash, will leave Washington the first part of August to make a series of visits at Cape May, N. J.; Rye Beach, N. H., and Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Valentine will leave Washington next week to spend several months in Central and South America. They will not return to Washington until next winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Church, the Misses Church, and Heilige Church will close their home in Twentieth street August 1 and go to Fruits Neck, Me., for several weeks.

Mr. Emanuel Haas has returned to his home in Richmond from a short visit in the city, the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. Haas.

Miss Elise Hexter returned last week to her home in town after a short motor trip to Piney Point.

Miss Eleana Selinger, of this city, is the house guest of Miss Beatrice Katz, of Baltimore.

Mr. David Oettinger has left the city for a stay of some months in New York.

Miss Adele Goldsmith, of Baltimore, has returned to her home after ten days spent in town, the guest of Miss Edna Oppenheimer.

Capital Folk Out of Town

The Secretary of War is spending a few days with Mrs. Garrison at Seabright, N. J.

The Assistant Secretary of Commerce, accompanied by Mrs. Sweet and their daughter, Miss Sweet, left Washington in their motor car Friday for Grand Rapids, Mich., where they have taken a house for the summer. Mr. Sweet will return to Washington within the next week or ten days.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Mr. Jonas Michaelis, of this city, and Mrs. Goldsmith Levy, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Michaelis are at present making an extended tour throughout the North, and will make their home in Washington after September 1.

Mrs. Fannie Greenapple has returned to the city from a four months' visit in Galveston, Tex., the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Cohen.

Capt. and Mrs. William H. G. Bullard, now stationed in Washington, are in New York en route to Newport, where they will visit Mrs. Bullard's aunt, Mrs. Elsie Dyer at her villa, "Wayside."

Miss Louisa Einstein, of this city, was the guest last week of Miss Carrie Campbell, of Philadelphia. She is now in Atlantic City with Miss Campbell, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strausburger left on Thursday last for an auto trip to Atlantic City, Philadelphia, and New York.

Miss Rena Sanger has returned to her home in this city after a ten days' visit in Baltimore, where she was the guest of relatives.

Mr. Frank Whitcomb, of this city, is one of the guests at a house party given by Mr. and Mrs. Adam H. Fox and their daughters, Miss Lucy Fox and Miss Elizabeth Fox, of Philadelphia, at their Wissahickon home, just outside of Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. E. Godfrey, of the Burlington, who has taken a house at Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., has among her house guests Mrs. Martha S. Galloway, who is

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NEW HOURS, 8:15 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

THE GREATER PALAIS ROYAL

A. LISNER. G AND ELEVENTH STREETS.

July Clearing Sale

Finally reduced prices in all departments. Only a few hints get in the daily papers—and never the best bargains. Little lots—not advertised—are placed on tables each morning. These best bargains are worth coming for daily.

Trimmed Hats

Tomorrow's offerings will include values to \$5.50 at \$1.98 and \$2.98.

Parasols

Values to \$3.50 at \$1.88 and values to \$5.00 at \$2.79.



These Dresses \$1.99 Values to \$5 Many Others \$1.99 In all Sizes

Five hundred and eighty-one (581) of these dresses go on sale for the first time tomorrow morning promptly at 8:15 o'clock on street floor near elevators. Early callers are positively assured best of new \$5.00 Summer Dresses. The latest visitor cannot do worse than secure a \$3.50 dress for \$1.99.

Note the Sketches.

Do they not convince you of the character of these dresses. And learn that these six styles are by no means the most attractive of the many others here.

Materials and Colors.

Imported figured voiles, dimities, and filmy tissues, in white, pink, navy, lavender, tan, sky blue, green, and black and white effects. Best colors are associated with best materials.

Note the Needlework.

It's the needlework that is the infallible test. Cheap dresses, made for a cheap sale, show skimping and haste. These dresses are perfect in every detail.

The Dainty Trimmings.

The "silk dress" is known by its showy but inferior trimmings. Note the quality and the artistic application of these embroideries, lace, braid and button trimmings.



Shower-Proof Foulard Silks \$1.00

Were \$2 Up

These Cheney Silks, 40 inches wide, are this season's \$2.00 and \$2.50 a yard grades; 500 yards here in all the best designs and colors, reduced to \$1.00 per yard.

\$1.00 Foulards; 400 yards at..... 59c Tub Silks; 700 yards at..... 79c

Satin-faced Foulards, woven figures with printed dots and Dresden effects on harlequin checked ground, at 59c yard. The Tub Silks, values to \$1.50, at 79c yard, are in styles being used for men's summer shirts and women's waists.

White Corduroy, 45c up.

The 32-inch wide narrow-wale cord, 59c value at 45c; the 36-inch narrow wale, 89c value at 69c yard, 36-inch broad wale, \$1.25 value at \$1 yard.

58-inch Tropical Suitings, 95c.

The Beach shade, with dainty hairlines, in black and white silk, \$1.35 value at 95c yard.

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